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CONFERENCE ENVIRONMENTAL LECTURE  
OPEN TO THOSE IN UM NIGHT COURSE

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MISSOULA--

A program to be presented Monday, Nov. 17, in Missoula by poet and essayist Gary Snyder and poet John Haines will be open to persons participating in the public lecture series being sponsored by the University of Montana Environmental Studies Program.

Monday's lecture, which is part of a three-day wilderness conference, will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Governor's Room of the Florence Motor Inn.

Those participating in the UM public lecture series and attending Monday's lecture include persons taking the series for academic credit under the theme, "A Sense of Place," Monday evenings at UM through the UM Center for Continuing Education and Summer Programs. Besides being part of the conference, Monday's program by Snyder and Haines will be a one-night substitute in the regular lecture series at UM.

The wilderness conference is being sponsored in the Garden City Monday through Wednesday by the UM School of Forestry Wilderness Institute. Funding for the three-day program has come from several sources. The Montana Committee for the Humanities, an organization with home offices at UM, provided \$5,923, and the UM Wilderness Institute has contributed \$5,344.50. The National Endowment for the Humanities, the UM Department of English and the Program Council of the Associated Students of UM have provided a total of \$860.

In conjunction with the conference, Snyder, winner of a Pulitzer prize, will present a poetry reading at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 18, in the University Center Ballroom. Conference theme is "The Right to Remain Wild: A Public Choice."